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DISTRIBUTION OF SOFTWARE UPDATES IN AN UPDATE DISTRIBUTION
SYSTEM

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TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Please make the following amendments prior to examination of the above-identified application.

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